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Prize-Speaking Exhibition Last Evening Largely Attended.

All the schools in town were represented at a prize speaking exhibition in Holden hall Friday evening, March 3. There were 17 contestants and the prizes were awarded as follows: First prize for girls, Ada Sassi; second prize for girls, Pauline Buck. First prize for boys, Elton Sierman; second prize for boys, Bernard Herbert. The judges were from Montpelier seminary. Citizens came in from all the districts and together with the children filled the hall to its capacity. From a 20c admission to adults, \$18.50 was realized and, aside from the prizes, each pupil was given cash as a compliment for this good work. Aside from the speaking, Mrs. Swift and Mrs. Spooner rendered a vocal duet, Miss Helen Duck a song and Misses Sweeney and Denmore a piano duet. After the speaking the children enjoyed a promenade and all

went home feeling well paid for the enjoyable affair.

Mrs. John Folsom and two children of Waitsfield returned home Friday, after having visited several days at Frank Smith's.

Miss Mildred White spent several days at her home in Northfield recently.

Mrs. Phoebe Smith is quite ill with pneumonia.

Supt. W. B. Lancel of Plainfield was in town Thursday and Friday.

Miss Addie Nichols has finished her school on Moretown common and returned home for her spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Palmer attended the funeral of his uncle, M. M. Davis, of Moretown, Friday.

Mrs. A. P. Bigelow and two children are spending the week end with W. M. Lewis and family.

A. N. Poland and Henry Bettis of Waitsfield were visitors in town Friday.

George Towne moved his family the first of the week to Barre.

Harry Sherman is in Lanesboro, being employed by the A. H. Tenny Co.

TALK OF THE TOWN

No-license rally at opera house Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.—adv.

D. W. Ames of Enosburg Falls is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. J. M. Beattie.

J. C. DeBorne is visiting relatives in the vicinity of St. Johnsbury and Barre.

C. H. Howland of Chabot was a business visitor in this city yesterday and to-day.

Mrs. M. H. Clough returned last night from a visit with her son, Rev. W. P. Harriman of Fairview, Pa.

Miss Jessie Mongeon of Westerville spent several days in the city recently as the guest of Mrs. Lewis B. Glidden.

Wanted—At once, a first-class barber. Steady position for the right man. Apply at Ross' Depot square barber shop.

Be sure and get your tickets to-day for "Princess Pat," as the supply is limited and you will be disappointed if you miss this show.—adv.

Remember the date, March 24, when the Louis F. Ross company of Scottish singers will give a concert in the Barre opera house under the auspices of Clan Gordon.

Thomas R. Waterman, tenor soloist, vocal teacher and coach, will be at 17 Wellington street, Monday, March 6, from 2 to 6 and 7 to 9 p. m. Tel. 128-1 or Hotel Barre.—adv.

One purchase of Tru-Bu bread will convince you that we are selling the quality loaf. We are sole agents in Barre for the Vermont Baking company's goods. Eastman Bros.

Mrs. H. S. Miles having closed her store, 70 North Main street, on account of illness for the past two months, wishes to announce that the store will be open Monday, March 6. Mrs. Miles will welcome all old, as well as new, customers.—adv.

Mrs. Celia Hubbard, who had been staying with Mrs. Sarah Gurley of Elm street for the past four weeks, returned yesterday to her home in South Royalton, accompanied by Mrs. Gurley, who will remain for a month or more. The latter has recovered from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Beginning Wednesday, March 8, 1916, street cars leave Ayres and Nelson streets on week days at 6:15 a. m. and every 30 minutes thereafter until 10:15 p. m. First cars leave on Sundays at 7:45 a. m. Washington street car will operate between Nelson and Willey streets, leaving Willey street on the hour and half-hour and leaving Nelson street at 15 and 45 minutes of the hour, connecting at City square with main line car.

Announcement was made last night of the appointment of Frank Cassava of Farwell street to the position of yard master in the Central Vermont freight yard, the appointment having been confirmed by Supt. J. Keefe, who was in the city yesterday to instruct three appointees on the nature of their new duties.

Mr. Cassava, who has been employed in the Barre yard for several years, succeeds William M. Grant, whose death occurred last week and he, in turn, is succeeded as head brakeman in the local yard by Harold Tierney of South Main street. Mr. Tierney has been engaged in railroad for the past five years. He is succeeded as yard brakeman by James Armstrong.

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Here Are Some Interesting Values

We are putting prices on a lot of odd coats in the season's best styles that will surely be of unusual interest to those in need of a good warm coat. If you want a coat, you surely will not have to think of the price, for it is so small for the quality that it hardly amounts to anything when you consider how good a value you have got. We are putting these prices on such good merchandise to clean them up at once to make room for new goods which are now coming in very fast. Notice the prices we are making and then come right in and see the coats.

Coats at Only \$2.98

We are putting about 20 Coats, in qualities at from \$10.00 to \$27.00, to clean up at only \$2.98. These are odd Coats in qualities that are the best. They are, many of them, our season's best values, that have for some reasons not been sold. There are no two alike. The colors are Blue, Brown, Black and Green, in medium sizes. To clean up at only \$2.98.

On one rack are also a lot of odd Coats in good sizes; colors, Tan, Brown, Blue, and Black. Prices from \$10.00 to \$20.00; now to close at \$4.98. These are good Coats to buy for next season.

We are making these prices to clean the stock up at once, to make room for our full line of spring Suits, which are now coming in every day. We want the room, and you can save some good money.

Ladies' Tailored Suits

We also have a few odd Suits in the season's best styles and qualities. Are in good qualities, and the styles are not so bad for spring wear. These Suits are all put in at two prices, which are \$6.98 and \$9.98. Are Suits that sold at from \$15.00 to \$27.50. Look over these values in the next few days. We must have the room.

We are now showing a good, large assortment of the new spring Suits, that are made up in a large variety of the best cloths. Black and White Checks are to be very good; in fact, the best for a number of seasons. Blue will be very strong, both Navy and Copen. Tans and Reseda Green also hold a prominent position. See these new models, which are really very snappy.

The Daylight Store

Houghton & Robins

Nearby Fresh Eggs, per dozen 33c
3 lbs. Elgin, Equal, Ginger Snaps or Oyster Crackers for 25c
Quart jars of Fancy Tomatoes for 20c
Glass jars of Fancy Sifted Sweet Peas for 18c
3 cans of Corn, Tomatoes or Peas for 25c
2 lbs. of Peanut Butter for 25c
Bulk Sauer Kraut, per lb., 10c; 3 lbs. for 25c
Dill Pickles, per lb. 10c
Fresh-ground Horse Radish, per pint 20c

SPECIAL

150-count Oranges, Sunkist Brand, per dozen... 30c
18 Oranges for 25c
Grapefruit, each, 10c; 3 and 4 for 25c
3 loaves of Bread for 25c
Drake's Cakes, 7 varieties, each 10c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Fresh Native Fowls, per lb. 25c
Fresh Native Chickens, per lb. 28c
Western Beef Roasts, per lb. 18c to 25c
Pork Roasts and Chops, per lb. 16c to 22c
Legs of Lamb, per lb. 25c
Butt Steak, per lb. 20c
Heavy Top of Round Steak, per lb. 30c
Rump and Sirloin Steak, per lb. 35c
Celery, Lettuce, Spinach, Parsnips, Hubbard Squash, Cranberries, etc.
Scotch Ham and Bacon.

Phone 258

Orange Season

IS JUST BEGINNING

CARLOAD OF ORANGES JUST ARRIVED—LEAVE YOUR ORDER HERE FOR A BOX OR HALF BOX—PRICES ARE CHEAP.

Oranges by the Dozen

15c, 20c, 25c UP TO 50c

GRAPEFRUITS

5c, 8c AND 10c EACH

BANANAS

20 AND 16 FOR 25c-25c PER DOZEN

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20c PER POUND

SEE OUR WINDOW FOR PARTICULARS REGARDING THE \$5.00 GOLD PIECE

FRESH STRAWBERRIES

just in this morning—Take home a basket

GOODS DELIVERED FREE

TEL. 240

United Fruit Store

G. MANIATTY, PROP.

TALK OF THE TOWN

New spring waists at Abbott's.

No-license rally at opera house Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.—adv.

Miss Glynora Gould of Perry street returned to the city this morning, after a visit of several weeks with friends in New York and Boston.

Lieut. Gov. Hale K. Darling returned to the city to-day from Enosburg Falls, where he was the speaker at a smoke-talk given by the Philomathean club last evening. Lieut. Gov. Darling spoke on the direct primary.

Nashua, N. H., bowlers, matched to meet an all-star cast of Barre rollers at the Merlo academy on North Main street last evening, did not arrive in the city yesterday afternoon, in consequence of which the match was postponed until this evening. Delayed by uncertain train service, the "Hitzum" outfit, as the New Hampshire team is styled, did not reach Barre until this morning. Hurried plans were completed this forenoon for the first of the matches to be pulled off this afternoon and the finale will be the attraction at the academy to-night. The Nashua line-up published in yesterday's Times appears to be intact and the following selections have been made for the home team: A. Mariani, Blair Mariani, Bernard Corcoran, C. Catto, Joseph Merlo, William Johnston, Romeo Marriotti and Paul Scampini.

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No one should fail to hear ex-Gov. Hanly to-night at 8 in the Barre opera house.—adv.

All the children of the Baptist Sunday school who have mite boxes please bring them to the church to-morrow (Sunday). To-night at the Pavilion, the Jere McLaughlin company in "Who's the Next Victim?" and three reels of pictures.—adv.

The saloon absorbs the means which should be employed for nobler wants, and lowers the standard of living where it exists.—adv.

The People's Shoe Store will give a discount of 10 per cent. on all cash purchases between the hours of 7 and 10 this (Saturday) evening.—adv.

At the no-license rally Sunday evening, C. S. Andrews, O. G. Stickney, M. D., J. H. Bishop, O. H. Carpenter, and John B. Reardon will each speak 10 minutes. Everybody come.

The auction sale at Farnham's at Montpelier yesterday was well attended. Twenty-five commission horses were sold at auction at prices ranging from \$200 down. Mr. Farnham has a nice lot of Dakota fresh horses and a number of those were disposed of during the day. As spring approaches, people are looking for teams for the farm and general purposes and Farnham's is the place to find them. C. F. Smith, auctioneer.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Special lace-front corset on sale \$1.50, at Vaughan's.

Ladies' suits at less than the price of the cloth, at Abbott's.

No-license rally at opera house Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.—adv.

Are you getting the bargains in our white sale? The Vaughan Store.

Seventy-two pairs of \$1.00 Kabo corsets for Saturday sale 79c, at Vaughan's.

The People's Shoe Store is giving 500 extra pony votes with every purchase to-day.—adv.

Don't fail to hear ex-Governor Hanly to-night at 8 in the Barre opera house. Admission free.—adv.

It is a fair question to ask if we want any business in Barre that works against cleanliness? The butcher and baker and merchant who supply food, furniture and clothing send their customers home happy, and the articles bought are shared with their families. Home is made comfortable, children are well clothed and fed. But take the saloon, which takes a man's money and sends him home empty-handed. His home is not well furnished, his children are not well clothed. Any business that brings such results will not make for the cleanliness of Barre.—adv.

TALK OF THE TOWN

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The people of this city are very fortunate indeed to have the opportunity of hearing one of the greatest orators and most enthusiastic temperance workers in this country—Governor Hanly—in the Barre opera house to-night at 8.—adv.

Frank C. Williams, state examiner of savings banks, returned to his home in Newport this morning, after passing a few days in the city on business.

The trouble is in politics that the worst elements all work—and work all the time—and the best elements still cling to the superstition that they can elect men to work for them.—adv.

Woman's Club Notes.

As next week is baby week, the club has procured two lecturers, who will speak to the members on baby affairs. On Tuesday afternoon, March 7, besides the regular business meeting and social, Dr. C. K. Johnson of Burlington will speak on "Infant Mortality." Guest tickets will be issued. On Friday evening the public is invited to a lecture in Howland hall by Dr. Dalton on the subject, "Baby Hygiene."

What Time Is It?

You will not have to ask this question if you purchase one of these High-Grade Watches at the KENYON STORE SALE:

WALTHAM AND ELGIN WATCHES, \$13.00 value, Sale Price \$5.98
15-Jewel WALTHAM AND ELGIN WATCHES, value \$16.00, going for... 7.49
17-Jewel WALTHAM AND ELGIN WATCHES, reg. value \$19.00, Sale Price 9.98
16's ILLINOIS \$20.00 WATCHES, Sale Price 9.98
17-Jewel Adjusted ELGIN WATCHES, regular \$25.00 value, Sale Price.... 14.25
\$20.00 SOUTH BEND 17- JEWEL WATCHES, only 9.85
16's ELGIN 17-JEWEL adjusted in 25-year Diamond Set Case, regular price \$30.00, Sale Price 17.98
17-JEWEL 16's ILLINOIS, in permanent Case, reg. \$30.00 value, only 15.18
\$40.00 HAMILTON 21-JEWEL adjusted, only 23.95
21-Jewel adjusted ROCKFORD, reg. price \$40.00, going at only 19.98

We have all the best WATCHES—HOWARD, HAMILTON, WALTHAM, ELGIN, SOUTH BEND, etc. MUST BE SOLD.

The Kenyon Store

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Your Appetite

will not need coaxing, if the meats you serve are purchased in this store of courteous reliability.

You can be as particular as you please in selecting meats when you shop here. We are here to serve you with just the goods you want.

WESTERN BEEF—Anything you wish
NATIVE VEAL NATIVE LAMB PIG PORK
CHICKENS AND FOWLS

Try our new HAM SAUSAGE—Something new

Hamburg Steak, 2 lbs. for 25c
Chicken Halibut, 2 lbs. for 25c

Green Stuff

SPINACH LETTUCE FRESH RHUBARB

Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Grapefruit

Celery, Baldwin and Greening Apples, Sweet Potatoes

Fresh-made Horse Radish (send in a jar), per pint 20c

Large bottles (full quart) of Olives, only 25c

BREAD, CAKES, DOUGHNUTS, etc.

Sponge Cakes, each 10c

Try our FRESH-MADE PEANUT BUTTER

FLOUR IS LOWER HERE—BUY NOW

FISH DEPARTMENT

Halibut, whole fish, 7 to 12 lbs., per lb. 12c

Sliced, 2 lbs. for 25c

Finnan Haddies, per lb. 12c

The Smith & Cumings Co.

GOOD VALUES

Top of Round Steak, best western beef, per lb. 28c
Rump and Sirloin Steak, best western beef 35c, 38c
Beef Roasts, best western beef, per lb. 20c, 22c
The best Butt Steak, western, per lb. 20c
Beef Sausage from best western beef, 2 lbs. for 25c
Native Pig Pork Sausage, 2 lbs. for 25c
Native Pig Pork Chops, per lb. 15c, 20c
Native Pig Pork Roasts, per lb. 15c, 18c, 20c
10 lbs. of Native Pig Salt Pork, our own make. \$1.00
Pure Steam-Rendered Lard; 3's, 40c; 5's, 65c; 10's, \$1.25; 20's, \$2.40.

All Pork products are higher. Put in a good supply of Lard and Salt Pork.

Flour has had quite a drop in the past two weeks. We reduced our price fifty cents per barrel. It looks as though wheat had struck bottom. In fact, has been going up the last few days.

Oranges are cheaper—we have some specially good values:

Large 216-count, 16 for 25c

250-counts, 18 for 25c

All other sizes marked down from 5c to 15c.

Large Grapefruit, the best we have seen this year, 3 and 4 for 25c

FISH DEPARTMENT

Another big lot of Steak Halibut for Saturday, 2 lbs. for 25c

Plenty of fresh Smoked Finnan Haddies, per lb. 12c

Lobsters, Oysters, Clams, etc.

We can give you the real value in our Bakery Department and save you money.

The F. D. Ladd Company